



Newsletter

Wednesday 7th April 2021

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Kia ora tātou

Congratulations to Ms Louise Hinds-Haye (our Room 5 teacher) and her partner John, on the birth of their son Lincoln John Arthur Edwards on Monday this week. Welcome back to Mrs Adrienne Dines who is teaching in Room 5 until Ms Hinds-Haye's return next year.

Many thanks to Suzanne Miller for instructing our Year 3 to 8 girls in self-defence this week, helping them learn ways of dealing with unsafe people and situations.

We will be running assembly this Friday from 2.15pm, and our school disco will be happening in the evening – see the advert later in the newsletter for details.

David Brock, Principal – Tumuaki

Coming up:

Thu 8 Apr Y7 & 8 girls self-defence
Fri 9 Apr Disco
Mon 12 Apr Y7&8 hearing & vision testing 9am
Mon 12 Apr Student reports sent home
Wed 14 Apr **Parent/teacher conferences -
12 noon school finish**
Fri 16 Apr PTA mufti fundraiser
Fri 16 Apr End of Term 1
Mon 3 May Term 2 starts

2021 School Terms

Term 1: Tuesday 2 February to Friday 16 April
Term 2: Monday 3 May to Friday 9 July
Term 3: Monday 26 July to Friday 1 October
Term 4: Monday 18 October to Fri 17 December

Moanataiari School Bank Account:

ANZ Thames 01 0455 0108122 01

WHOLE SCHOOL Parent/Teacher Conferences

On **Wednesday 14th April (next week)** all of our classes will be holding parent/caregiver interviews. Please find a booking form attached.

Please send your booking form into the office asap to book an interview time or phone the office on 868 6504.

Reports will be sent home on Monday 12th April. Please bring them with you to the conference.

Please Note

School will close at 12 noon on Wednesday 14th April.

Childcare arrangements will need to be made after 12 noon as the school is not able to provide supervision until 3pm.

Donna will be running the after-school care programme here at school from 12 noon on this day. Message 0275479407 to book in.

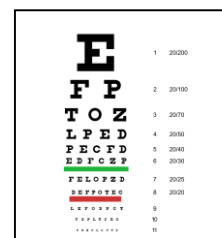


From the dental unit

All parents and guardians, if you have any pre-schoolers at home and would like to book a dental check for them while the van is at Moanataiari School, please call 021356297.

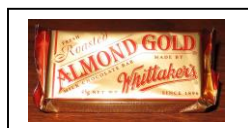
OPSM vision testing

OPSM will now be visiting our school in May to test the vision of all of our students. If your child is already under an optician, or you do not want your child to be screened, please send a note to our school office asap. The OPSM vision screening is more in-depth than the regular hearing and vision technician tests.



Term 3 2021 Mid-Term Break

Please note on your calendar that the mid-term break in Term 3 this year will be from **Thursday 26th August to Monday 30th August**. The additional day (Thursday) is a teacher only day.



Whittaker's chocolate fundraiser

Our senior students are selling chocolate bars as a fundraiser for the Wellington trip. We realise that chocolate is not a particularly healthy option, but it is a very yummy special treat!

Te rerenga korero:

Kia pai rawa atu koe!

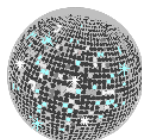
Be the best that you can be.

Old School Desks for Sale

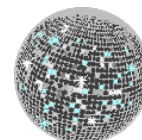
We have a number of old school desks we no longer need. These are for sale from our school office for a gold coin donation.

Community Notices

Moanataiari School Disco



Friday 9th April 2021



6.00-7.00pm Juniors * 7.30-9.00pm Seniors

Entry \$5 in Room 6

Food and drinks will be available for sale.

Bring a friend!



Freaking out about money?

- Never enough to pay the bills or for the weekly food shop?
- Too much credit or after pay?
- Had a reduction in income?
- Arguments about money?
- Never have enough for the holidays, clothes?
- Got a loan that you can't repay?

Make an appointment to chat with one of our friendly Financial Mentors at:

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FREE ADVICE & EDUCATION

Phone: 07 868 5964 Mobile: 027 870 7076

E-mail: thbuds@gmail.com

415 Pollen Street, Thames 3500

Thames Music and Drama

are holding auditions for their next big musical show to be staged July 3-10th "Peter Pan & the Medallion's Secret". We have a large cast including roles for adults, teens and children.

Auditions for kids aged 7 – 12 years will be in a group workshop format (so as to be less daunting) **on Monday 5th April from 4-5pm at Thames Youth Centre .**

For more information see their website <https://www.thamesmad.co/about>
[1-cqrg](https://www.thamesmad.co)
www.thamesmad.co



Moanataiari After-School Care

Bookings can be made through our school office (868 6504) or by contacting Donna directly on 027 547 9407.

Thames Music and Drama

in association with APRA
presents



Thames Civic Centre
3rd – 10th July 2021

Tickets from www.thamesmad.co

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GET IN QUICK LIMITED NUMBERS.....

Option 1: Te Awamutu: Albert Park

Tuesday 27th and Wednesday 28th April
8.30am to 3.30pm

Option 2: Hamilton: Willoughby Park & FMG Stadium Waikato

Thursday 29th and Friday 30th April 8.30am to 3.30pm

Age groups 5-7, 8-10, 11-13 (Girls & Boys)
Prices \$75 per day p/p, \$60 for additional siblings

Fun rugby games and skills.

Facilitated by WRU coaching staff.

Focusing on fundamental movement and rugby skills.

Each participant receives a Waikato goodie pack.

Note: Participating players need to bring their own lunch/drink, MOUTH GUARDS and any protective gear.

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Thames Netball

Registration forms are available from our school office. Please return these and the fee of:

Year 1-4s \$25 per player and

Year 5-8s \$45 per player

to our school office asap.

Games start on Thursday 6th May.

Kauaeranga Valley Hall (School)
circa 1923



KAUAERANGA VALLEY HALL CELEBRATION

**SATURDAY 17 APRIL
11 AM TO 2 PM
437 KAUAERANGA VALLEY ROAD**

**BRING A PICNIC LUNCH
AND
JOIN IN THE FUN OF THE
FAIR**

ALL DAY

- **Face Painting**
 - **Coffee, Tea & Scones**
 - **Fresh Produce Hamper Raffles**
 - **Silent Auction Great prizes**
 - **Bouncy Castle**
 - **Bring & Buy Tables**
 - **Craft stalls**
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- **Live Music - 11.00am, 12.30pm, and 1.45pm**
 - **Pet show 11.30am**
 - **Biggest Vegetable comp. 12pm**
 - **Parade of Hats 12pm**
 - **Lunch 12.30pm**
 - **Family fun games 1pm**
 - **Prize giving 1.30pm**

FAMILY SURNAME: _____ PHONE: _____

Please add your child's name in the column of their teacher at the time that suits you to visit
and return the form to the office as soon as possible.

This form will be returned to you with confirmed times ticked or alternative times.

If you are unable to attend your confirmed conference time, please let the office know asap.

Time	Mrs Kruger Room 2	Mrs Pooley Room 3	Mrs Bain Room 4	Miss Hinds-Haye Room 5	Ms Trenwith Room 6	Mrs Saunders Room 7	Mr Howes Room 9
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